

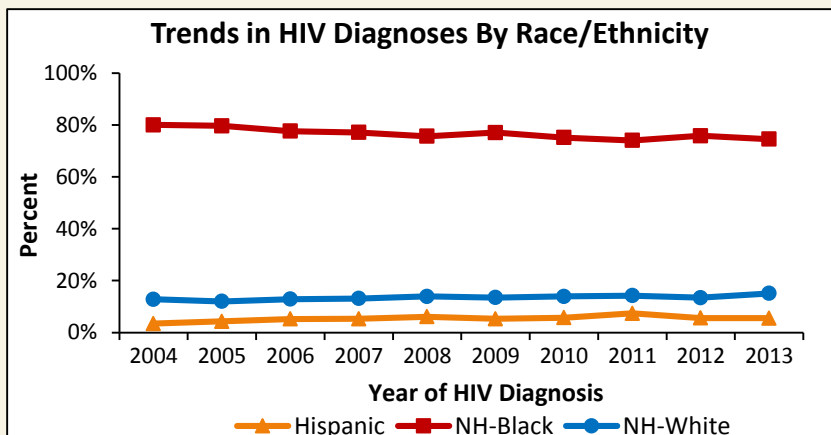


HIV AMONG HISPANICS IN MARYLAND, 2013

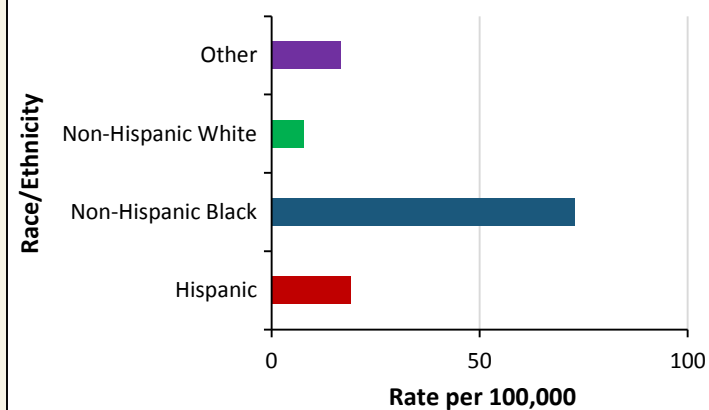
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New HIV Diagnoses

- **Hispanics** accounted for **5.5% (77)** of the **1,395** reported adult/adolescent HIV diagnoses (age 13+) in Maryland in **2013**.
- Case rates among newly reported adult/adolescent HIV diagnoses in 2013 remain highest among NH blacks (**72.8 per 100,000**) followed by Hispanics (**19.2**).



2013 HIV Diagnoses by Race/Ethnicity



Characteristics of Hispanics Living with HIV

- Of the **30,306** total living HIV cases (with or without AIDS) in Maryland in 2013, **4.9% (1,477)** of those were among Hispanics. In other words, **1 in 271 Hispanics** was reported to be living with HIV in Maryland.

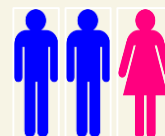
Exposure Categories

- **43.4% HET**
- **41.7% MSM**
- **11.7% IDU**

Current Age Categories

- **33.4% 40's**
- **26.9% 30's**
- **20.7% 50's**
- **11.1% 20's**
- **7.8% 60+**
- **0.1% Teens**

- Total living HIV case rates (of all ages) in Maryland were more than **twice** as high among **Hispanic males (399.6 cases per 100,000)** on 12/31/2013) as compared to Hispanic females (**146.9**). In other words, **1 in 250 Hispanic males** and **1 in 680** Hispanic females was reported to be living with HIV in Maryland.



- More than half (**54.4%**) of the **Hispanic men** with a reported exposure living with HIV in Maryland were among **men who have sex with men (MSM)**. Among **Hispanic women** living with HIV in Maryland, **85.9%** were attributed to **heterosexual exposure (HET)**.
- Of the **1,477** total living HIV cases among Hispanics in Maryland, about half (**51.3%**) had a **viral load test** result reported in 2013. Of those **758** with a reported test result, **76.9%** had a **suppressed viral load**.

MSM: Men who have Sex with Men | **HET:** Heterosexual Exposure | **IDU:** Injection Drug User